

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 61 - SB 718

March 13, 2021

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Makes non-substantial changes to the Tennessee Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act (Act). Updates the Act to align with the Uniform Administrative Procedure Act (UAPA). Deletes requirement that district attorneys enforce violations of this Act.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (004850): Delete and replaces language in the original bill without making any substantive changes to the legislation.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- Making various, non-substantial changes to the Act, including deletion of unnecessary or antiquated language, will have no significant impact on state or local government.
- Based on information provided by the Department of Agriculture (TDA), this Act will have no impact on federal funds received by the TDA.
- Removing the requirement of district attorneys to enforce the Act will have no significant impact on the overall cases handled by the district attorneys.
- The courts will not experience an increase in caseloads; therefore, any impact to the court system is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bojan Savic". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Bojan Savic, Interim Executive Director

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